

SANTA ROSA DE LIMA CATHOLIC CHURCH

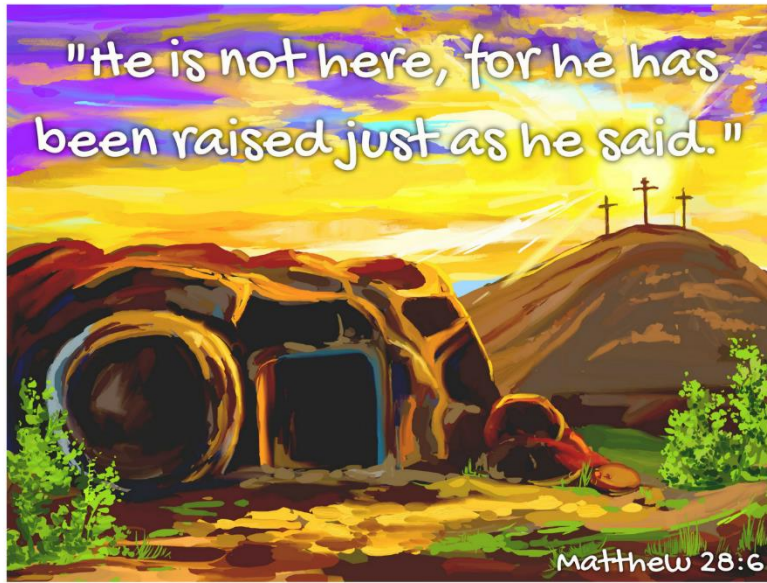
In the first reading we hear Peter proclaiming the Good News of Jesus risen from the dead and that in his lifetime, Jesus went about doing good, healing the sick and that God was with him!

As disciples of Jesus, filled with grace through his resurrection, we too are called to this mission. _____

What good are we called to do this week? _____

Who are those, sick in mind, body or spirit that we might minister to this week? _____

How can we bring the presence of God to situations of injustice this week? _____



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Regular Mass Schedule

Daily Mass:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
6:00 PM
Wednesday (at Wellspring United Methodist)
4:30 PM

First Friday (AND Every Friday of Lent):
11:30 AM

Weekend Mass:
Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM
10:30 AM
4:00 PM

Pastoral Staff

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Sacramental Celebrations

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: First Friday at 10:30AM and Every Friday of Lent at 10:30 AM

Reconciliation: After each Daily Mass; First Friday at 10:30AM; 30 Minutes before each weekend Mass; by appointment; and Every Friday of Lent at 10:30 AM

Baptism: For parishioners and those residing within our parish boundaries. Parents and Sponsors are required to attend a class. Please call the office for further information or to register for a class.

Our next scheduled Baptism Class is **April 8 at 9:15 AM** in the RE Bldg.

Marriage: Contact the Pastor at least 6 months in advance of the wedding date.

Ministry to the Sick: Call Fr. Larry at 512.787.7954

Quinceañera*: Contact the RE Office at least 6 months in advance.
*(*This is a special celebration; not a sacrament.)*

Welcome to Santa Rosa

Welcome to all returning and first-time visitors. We thank you for choosing to celebrate with us.

If you would like to register with the parish, New Parishioner packets and Parish Registration Forms are available in the narthex on the shelves next to the sacristy.

Parish Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday, 10 AM- 2 PM

Need to return a form outside office hours?

Parish Registration Forms, Mass Intentions, envelopes and notes to the office may be mailed to the address above, placed in any collection basket, or placed in either of the "All Completed Forms" boxes at the church entrances.



HEARING LOOP INSTALLED
Switch hearing aid to T-coil

Stewardship Corner

Flower Offering Envelopes

Flower Offering Envelopes for Santa Rosa's Easter flowers can be found near the "Completed Forms" boxes. *Names will be published after Easter on April 15 to ensure that all envelopes have been collected and properly recorded.*

STEWARDSHIP LAST WEEK:

Sat. Mar. 24: 5:00 PM: \$4,222.00 Mail In: \$ 3,145.00
Sun. Mar. 25: 8:00 AM: \$ 3,130.00
Sun. Mar. 25: 10:30 AM: \$ 5,046.00
Sun. Mar. 25: 4:00 PM: \$ 2,181.00

Be a Parishioner in the Know

When it comes to communicating with our parishioners we post information first in our bulletin & announcements then on our parish website: SRDL-CC.ORG and Facebook page: www.Facebook.com/SantaRosaAndice and finally via our Parish News email list.

We invite you to find us on Facebook and join our parish email lists if you have not already done so.

Our Parish Email Lists

To sign up visit our website and scroll down to "Be a Parishioner in the Know" and click on the link to be taken to the email sign up for that list.

We use VerticalResponse, an email service like MailChimp and Constant Contact.

If you did not receive Wednesday's SRdL Parish News Email we recommend that you check your Spam Folder and if it's not there, then sign up again.

SRdL Parish News [For ALL Parishioners]

This list is used sparingly (about 10 times a year at most). We mainly use this list to send out abrupt schedule changes, emergencies, Mass cancellations or time changes, etc.

SRdL RE Parent Email [For ALL Parents/guardians or grandparents of our RE students]

This is our primary form of communication with the Parents/guardians or grandparents of our students enrolled in our Religious Education Program. We greatly encourage all those enrolled in our RE program sign up to receive the information about everything from no classes to upcoming important dates.

SRYG (Santa Rosa Youth Group) [For ALL High School Parents/guardians or grandparents and Students]

We invite our High School aged students to join the Santa Rosa Youth Group. Parents/guardians or grandparents and Students are invited to sign up to receive information about upcoming events and important deadlines.

Prayer List

To add a name to the prayer list please contact the parish office. Please inform us when a name may be removed.

PRAYER LIST FOR DEPLOYED MILITARY, PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Col. Shane Steinke, USAF, Middle East; James Austin Hodnett, US Army, Kuwait; Christopher Paul Tarvin, US Army, Middle East

FOR ALL WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS: John Quinlin; John Campbell; Jason Campbell; Harry Jackson; Diana Wilbanks; Jim Schneider; Sylvia Harper Schneider; Gary Davila; Larry Ewing; Nancy Neuenschwander; James Miller Jr.; Alyssia Thaxton; LaNelle Westrup; Ted Walinski; Michael Stetler; Greg Sprawka; Mark Benson; Robert Woods; Joel Davis; Michael Hendricks; Sue Thelen; Mary Francis Barlin; Kelsey Cantrell; Sue Collins; Kathie Piraino; Phyllis Conner; Janet Tompkins; Joseph Slupski

MASS INTENTIONS:

The Mass intentions scheduled for this week are...

Sat. Mar. 31: 8:45 PM: *For the parishioners of Santa Rosa*
Sun. Apr. 1st: 8:00 AM: *For the parishioners of Santa Rosa*
Sun. Apr. 1st: 10:30 AM: *For the parishioners of Santa Rosa*
Sun. Apr. 1st: 4:00 PM: *For the parishioners of Santa Rosa*
Tue. Apr. 3: 6:00 PM: † Alice Shanauer

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**We apologize but we are not always able to schedule everyone's preferred date. **All intentions are subject to change as circumstances arise.

Parish News & Events

This Week at Santa Rosa

Wed. Apr. 4

- Santa Rosa Food Pantry – Carr Hall – 9-11 AM

Thu. Apr. 5

- SVdP Meeting – RE Library – 6:30 PM

Fri. Apr. 6

- First Friday – Adoration & Reconciliation – 10:30 AM
– Mass – 11:30 AM

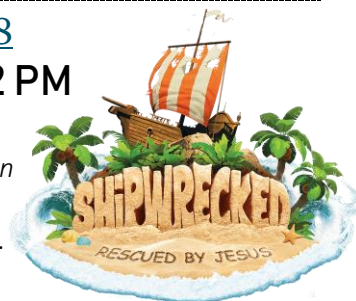
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For information about diocesan events in the area see the online version of the bulletin.

Save the Date: VBS 2018

JUNE 18-22: 9 AM – 12 PM

Mark your calendars now!

For all children and grandchildren of Santa Rosa parishioners. For grades K-5 in the Fall of 2018. (Registration will begin in May)



Calling All Volunteers. Interested in Volunteering?

Please contact Barbara Nehrbass at 254.793.0273 today!

Religious Education

Only 3 Classes left of the 2017/2018 RE Year!

You don't want to miss out. But be sure to keep an eye on the bulletin and your email for future Summer Fun Events*.

Important Upcoming Dates for RE

April 15 – First Communion Practice @ 9 AM

– All First Communion Students AND a parent are asked to meet in the church.

April 22 – RE End of Year Class Parties

– Student feel free to bring a snack to share

April 29 – First Communion @ 8 AM & 4 PM

Ministries

Knights of Columbus #12522

Our Council Now Has a Website: Please visit www.kofc12522.org for information about the Knights, including how to join, upcoming events, and Knights activities.

When do the Knights meet? The Santa Rosa's Knights of Columbus Council #12522 meets on the second Tuesday of each month. **Our next meeting will be...April 10.** Knights are encouraged to attend the 6 PM daily Mass. There is a pre-meeting meal starting at 6:30 PM. The business meeting starts at 7 PM. If you are a K of C member, please remember to bring your membership card and join us.

Interested in joining? Please contact Mike Judice at 409.617.1656 or Ed Pastor at 512.863.2331.

K of C Ladies Fellowship

All wives of the Knights of Columbus Council #12522 are invited to meet in the RE Library on **Tuesday, April 10 at 7 PM**; while the men meet in Carr Hall. The purpose of this group is purely social; so, come prepared for some fun and friendship. *Feel free to bring your dinner or snacks.*

Respect/Pro-Life

Michele Stanfield, Parish Pro-Life Coordinator
mstanfield@austin.rr.com

"Reflecting on the healed wounds of the risen Christ, we see that even our most difficult trials can be the place where God manifests His victory. He makes all things beautiful. He makes all things new." USCCB, March 2018

Saint Vincent's Corner

Happy Easter!!! Happy Spring!!! May the blessings of God be upon you and yours as we celebrate this joyful liturgical season.

Our phone continues to ring with calls for assistance. Our Conference members respond to the calls in a spirit of faith, hope and charity always striving to see Jesus in our neighbors while attempting to show our neighbors the light of Jesus in us. But, our Mission of service to the poor is only possible because of the generous spirit of our parishioners. Thank you!

We'd also like to acknowledge the support of Father Larry, who allows us to operate as a Conference in the parish. He permits us to have ample weekly space in the bulletin and a second collection envelope each month. He has given us use of Room A in Carr Hall for a base of operations, rent and utility free. His homilies support our Mission as they focus on the Gospel which admonishes us to go forth and serve

God and one another as Jesus would do. *"Thank you, Father Larry!"*

Thank you also to the Knights of Columbus who have funded several of our projects. Their generosity in sharing their time, talent, and treasure is deeply appreciated.

If you have reached a stage in life where you have a little extra time, please prayerfully consider joining this dynamic organization as we bring the love of Christ to our neighbors. **Our next meeting is on Thursday, 5 April at 6:30 PM** in the RE Library. All are welcome.

If you know someone who needs help, please ask them to call our service number at **254.317.2891**.

"To be involved in the service of Jesus is a sacred trust to which we have been invited." - St. Vincent de Paul.

Santa Rosa Food Pantry & Outreach

Our mission is to feed the hungry... Our next is April 4th from 9 to 11 am. We can only continue because of your support for the needy.

If you miss Pantry donation Sunday... you can put your blue envelope into any collection, any Sunday. Blue envelopes are included in your envelope packet and available in the pews or near the collection boxes at the main entrances of the church.

If you are one of our parishioners that buys peanut butter for our school program... *please buy crunchy*. Please put the peanut butter and your recycled egg cartons on the wooden shelf on the left side of the church as you enter the main doors.

For immediate food assistance please call **the SVdP help number 254-317-2891**.

Questions? Email Bill Adams at adamswb@att.net.

Santa Rosa Ladies Group

400 Raffle: First Drawing of the 2018/2019 Year!

John Hrobsky \$75.00; Lianne Ryan \$75.00;

Barbara Janney \$50.00; Kris Holm \$25.00

Happy Easter! Thanks, and Congratulations to this month's winners!

When does the SRLG Meet? SRLG members meet the 4th Monday of each month from August through May.

Our next meeting will be...April 23. We meet at 9:30 AM in Carr Hall. SRLG is open to all ladies of our parish. Please consider joining us.

Questions? Call Cheryl Tatro 512.750.2422 or Jane Schmitt 512.943.0402

Ladies be sure to Save the Date: Thursday, May 3...This is the date of our next Mass and "picnic" social; join us for Mass at 6PM with a potluck supper in Carr hall after.

APRIL 1ST, 2018

Santa Rosa Gift Shop: The Gift Shop should be open for all Masses; but in case no one is there, and you need something please contact Patricia Williams at 915.630.4117 for assistance.

For “Get Well” and sympathy cards from SRLG: Contact Linda Swafford at lswoff@suddenlink.net

Santa Rosa Youth Group

Our Next Youth Gathering:

Join us this evening **April 15 @ 11:30 AM** in Carr Hall.

**SRYG is for ALL High School students of the parish. **

Liturgical Ministries

Altar Servers

Scheduler: David Burrell: davidpburrell@yahoo.com

Sat. Mar. 31: 8:45 PM: Volunteers

Sun. Apr. 1st: 8:00 AM: April Smith; Karlie Bye; Karson Bye

Sun. Apr. 1st: 10:30 AM: Jaret Martinez; Ashlyn Clawson

Sun. Apr. 1st: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Sat. Apr. 7: 5:00 PM: Volunteers

Sun. Apr. 8: 8:00 AM: April Smith; Madelyn Edwards; Karson Bye; Kennedy Bye

Sun. Apr. 8: 10:30 AM: Jaret Martinez; Ashlyn Clawson

Sun. Apr. 8: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Extraordinary Ministers

Scheduler: Elsie Parrish: elparrish2@aol.com

Sat. Mar. 31: 8:45 PM: John McDuffie (L); Julie Roberts (L); Jim Ryan (L); Ann Sang; Ron Davidson; Nell Ficken; Bill Freitag

Sun. Apr. 1st: 8:00 AM: Jerry Kovacs (L); Carole Lockamy (L); Patty Magee (L); Nancy Osuna; Jean Plentl; Jan Saenz; Cindy Smith

Sun. Apr. 1st: 10:30 AM: Deanna Ramirez (L); Earnest Ramirez (L); Cheryl Tatro (L); Tony Theriot; Bill Adams; Yvonne Bedell; Marnie Finan

Sun. Apr. 1st: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Sat. Apr. 7: 5:00 PM: Ginny Hahn (L); Gerald Hardner; Sara Hardner; Clara Licandro; Robbie Licandro; Noel Livaudais (L); Terry Mack (L)

Sun. Apr. 8: 8:00 AM: Virginia Bane; Angela Gimbert (L); Jerry Kovacs (L); Carole Lockamy; Patty Magee; Nancy Osuna; Jean Plentl (L)

Sun. Apr. 8: 10:30 AM: Gloria Johnson; Jerry Kelly (L); Pam Kelly (L); Chris Kolb (L); Elsie Parrish; Mona Parrish; Joyce Pond

Sun. Apr. 8: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Greeters

Scheduler: Pam Kelly: pam.kelly60@yahoo.com

Sat. Mar. 31: 8:45 PM: Carol Roupe and Ginny Chase

Sun. Apr. 1st: 8:00 AM: Diane and Jay Baker

Sun. Apr. 1st: 10:30 AM: Hortencia Laney and Shirley Baker

Sun. Apr. 1st: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Sat. Apr. 7: 5:00 PM: Neil and Lynn Adams

Sun. Apr. 8: 8:00 AM: Virginia Bane and Donna Ramirez

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Sun. Apr. 8: 10:30 AM: Pam and Jerry Kelly

Sun. Apr. 8: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Homebound Communion Service

Scheduler/Training: Elsie Parrish: elparrish2@aol.com

Call the office for Homebound Communion.

Lectors

Scheduler: Bea Burrell: bvburrell54@yahoo.com

Sat. Mar. 31: 8:45 PM: Noel Livaudais; Bea Burrell; Annie Miller

Sun. Apr. 1st: 8:00 AM: Joe Kish; Annie Miller

Sun. Apr. 1st: 10:30 AM: Charlene Cooper; Thomas Peña

Sun. Apr. 1st: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Sat. Apr. 7: 5:00 PM: Nell Ficken; Frank Chalaire

Sun. Apr. 8: 8:00 AM: Sara Ramirez; Paul Chomka

Sun. Apr. 8: 10:30 AM: Budge Mabry; Vince Weiss

Sun. Apr. 8: 4:00 PM: Volunteers

Ushers

Saturday 5:00 PM: Paul Mack; Sherry Martinez; Joe Mullen; Paul Pratt

Sunday 8:00 AM: Eddie Girvan; Joey Girvan; Charlie Hoffstatter; George Nabb; Dennis Pribbernow; Aaron Spuler; Kaleb Spuler; Charles Spuler

Sunday 10:30 AM: Heather Baker; Jasmine Baker; Bill Dicus; Vic Figurelli; Gabe Lensing; Adan Medina; Angel Ortiz; Ron Peck; Alberto Sandoval; Mallory Schacherl

Sunday 4:00 PM: Volunteers

At the Store? Keep the Following Organizations in Mind:

Annunciation Maternity Home

[Donation items may be placed in the white crib in the narthex.]

Currently in need of the following: *Similac (especially Sensitive Formula); Pedialyte; Goldfish, other crackers and snacks; Cheerios, Chex, other breakfast cereal; All kinds of: Beans, Vegetables, Fruits (with no added sugar), Nuts (Walnuts, Pecans, Almonds); Pantry Staples: Flour, Corn Meal, Biscuit Mix, Olive Oil, Vegetable Oil, Pastas, Rice, Broths, Pasta Sauces, Soups, Rotel; Dessert Mixes: Pudding, Cake, Cookie, etc.; Things that YOU like to eat at home. Note: AMH CANNOT accept the following items: Used Cribs, Used Car Seats, Baby blankets*

The Caring Place

[Donation items may be placed in the "The Caring Place" box next to the sacristy]

Currently in need of the following: *Soup; Toiletries; Baking Mixes; Stew/Chili; Canned Pastas; Ketchup; Cereal; Juices*

SVdP and the Santa Rosa Food Pantry

[Donations items may be placed in the narthex on the wooden shelf next to the Giving Tree.]

Currently in need of the following: *16 – 18 oz. "Crunchy/Chunky" jars of peanut butter; Box Tops-for-Education.*

BULLETIN INFORMATION: Articles for the bulletin should be sent to: Communications@SRdL-CC.org. Bulletin Articles are due each Tuesday by 1:00 PM. Unless otherwise noted. Late articles will be added as space allows.

Please note all articles are added per Fr. Larry's approval and subject to editing.

[Around the Diocese](#)

[Total Consecration Rosary and Mass](#)

In Fatima, Our Lady said, "My Immaculate Heart will be your refuge and the way that will lead you to God."

On this 70-Year Anniversary of our Diocese, please join thousands of Faithful throughout our Diocese to collectively make or renew our "Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary" at a special Holy Mass on the Annunciation of the Lord. Rosary and Mass will be offered on **Monday, April 9th** at 6pm at Saint Mary Cathedral (Austin), at 6:30pm at Saint Thomas Aquinas Church (in Extraordinary Form, College Station), at 5pm at Saint Joseph Church (Killeen), at 6:30pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (Martindale), and at 5pm at Saint Peter's Catholic Student Center (in Extraordinary Form, Waco).

Please visit www.TexasToJesusThroughMary.org for more information.

[Together in God's Love Weekends](#)

Dates: Friday, May 4 - Saturday May 5, 2018

Times for both sessions: Friday 7-9pm
Saturday 8:30am-4pm, followed by
Sacrament of Reconciliation (3:30-5pm) and mass at 5:30pm

Language: English

Place: St. John Vianney, Round Rock

Contacts: Deacon Rudy Villarreal,
dcnrudy@sjvroundrock.org

Mary Beth Skinnell, office@sjvroundrock.org
512-218-1183

For more information visit:

<https://sjvroundrock.org/marriage>

[Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend](#)

MARRIED COUPLES: *Spring is here! It's the season of rebirth, new life, when nature seems to take a fresh start. Why not wake up your marriage this Spring as well? Remind your spouse that he or she is still number one in your life. Make a Marriage Encounter Weekend and re-discover the romance of your relationship.*

An upcoming weekend is scheduled for **April 20-22** at the **Wingate Hotel in Round Rock**. To **apply online** visit: austinme.org or **contact Michael and Shani Cowart: 512-677-WWME (9963) or email wwmeaustin@gmail.com**.

Call early to ensure a space. Para información en español llamar al 512-844-0785.

[Our Lady of the Rosary Cemetery & Prayer Gardens](#)

[Field of Flowers Day](#)

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

All are invited to join Our Lady for Field of Flowers Day on **Sunday, April 8, from 1:00 to 4:00 pm**. Field of Flowers is Our Lady's annual rejoicing of God's wonderful creation of wildflowers; celebrating the flowers as a sign of Life and the Resurrection to come.

Mark your calendars and be sure to invite family members and friends to stroll with you through the nature trails, St. Francis Walk and beautiful wildflowers. **A professional photographer will be available for complimentary photos.**

Light refreshments will be served during the event.

[Bishop Vasquez in on Social Media](#)

Thank you for all you do in service to the people of God and in the Diocese of Austin. With great joy we announce that Bishop Vásquez is now on social media. Please follow him on Facebook and Instagram -- Bishop Vásquez' official motto is *Sígueme*, Spanish for "Follow me."

· Follow Bishop Vásquez on **Facebook** at <http://bit.ly/2wVj9Yt>

· Follow Bishop Vásquez on **Instagram** at <http://bit.ly/2xziNsu>

[Catholic Charities Assistance for Williamson County](#)

Catholic Charities of Central Texas has partnered with St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Round Rock and Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Taylor to administer utility assistance. Together we want to help families and individuals in Central Texas who are have difficulty paying their Utility bills.

- **Our EFSP-FEMA grant will assist Travis and Williamson County. These are the zip codes in Williamson County we can assist.**
76511, 76527, 76530, 76537, 76573, 76574, 76577, 76578, 78612, 78613, 78615, 78626, 78627, 78628, 78630, 78633, 78614, 78642, 78646, 78673, 78674, 78680, 78682, 78683, 78727, 78728, 78729, 78750, 78759.
- **With the ATMOS Energy and Texas Gas we can help anyone with their bill as long as the bill is in their name.**

We will be located from 9:30am – 3:00pm

- **At St. John Vianney – St. Francis House**
 - 8 Lake Drive Round Rock, Texas 78665
 - The **1st Friday** of each month
- **Our Lady of Guadalupe in Taylor**
 - 110 W. Rio Grande St. Taylor Tx, 76574
 - The **2nd Friday** of each month

Families may call our office for assistance at any time: 512.651.6100.

What you need to bring to the appointment:

- Current ATMOS Energy bill, Texas Gas or other utility bills: The bill must be in your own name
- Photo ID

The mission of CCCTX is people of faith serving anyone in need by strengthening families and promoting respect for human dignity and life.

CareBOX Program

The CareBOX Program is open to anyone receiving cancer treatment in the greater Austin area: Travis, Hays, Bastrop, Caldwell, Burnet, Lee, and Williamson counties. We provide free essential care supplies and deliver them directly to your door!

4 Great Ways to Get Involved

1. **Become a CareGIVER.** We're able to save lives thanks to the generosity of our donors, large and small. The easiest way to help is to give whatever you can.
2. **Join a Fundraiser.** We use fundraisers to help grow the number of cancer patients we help. You can donate to an ongoing fundraiser or start your own.
3. **Volunteer with Us.** The personal touch is what makes the CareBOX Program so special. You can volunteer to help out at our office or become a CareDRIVER.
4. **Come to an Event.** Periodically we host events to raise awareness about the CareBOX Program cause. We'd love to see you at our next shindig.

Visit <http://www.careboxprogram.org/get-involved/> to see how you can help.

To Receive a CareBOX

Visit <http://www.careboxprogram.org/how-it-works/patient-sign-up/> to see the current product list and to sign up for the CareBOX Program.

Retreats

Cedarbrake Retreat Center, Belton

Upcoming Retreats

Healing through the Heart of Jesus will be held April 14 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. The focus will be on our identity as God's loved ones and on the wounds that prevent us from living that identity. Father Charlie Garza, pastor of St. Martin de Porres Parish in Dripping Springs, will be the presenter. **The cost is \$40 and includes lunch.**

The Heart of Worship, Journaling with Scripture and Art retreat will be held at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton May 5 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Experience God's word in a different way through journaling and art to give greater insight to God's will. Practicing to read, record and reflect on God's Holy Word helps one also to record how God is working and to realize even more how God is present in one's life. Mary Pomeroy, spiritual director and retreat presenter, will facilitate this day. **The cost is \$40 and includes lunch.**

Discovering Your True Self will be held May 23 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. The retreat will be based on the book by Father Richard Rohr entitled, "The Immortal Diamond." Deep within us is the true self; however, it has been hidden by who or what

we think we should be. We will spend the day identifying the false images we hold on to as we ask the Lord to show us the beauty of our true selves. Bev Collin, assistant director of Cedarbrake, will present this day. **The cost is \$40 and includes lunch.**

To register or for further information: www.cedarbrake.org or **254-780-2436**

Love the Lodge Campaign

Our focus for the Annual Appeal is "Love the Lodge." The Lodge was built in 1977 and was our first building to welcome guests for retreats. After 40 years of greeting and feeding guests for day and overnight use it is a little tired and needs some T.L.C. In addition to offering retreat scholarships we hope to: replace the carpet and old storm windows, upgrade the lights and some furniture and resurface the cabinets in the kitchen. Please consider a pledge to our Annual Appeal to help us "love the lodge" for 40 more years.

What your gift can provide: \$100 adds a beautiful shade tree - \$200 resurfaces the kitchen cabinets - \$200 provides a weekend retreat scholarship - \$250 provides vinyl plank for the lodge or carpeting for the rooms upstairs - \$750 helps purchase an ice machine - \$1,000 purchases a new double pane window - \$1,500 helps provide new heating and cooling unit

To make a donation please go to: www.austindiocese.org and click on the red donate button at the top, then scroll down to "Love the Lodge"

Webcasts/Webinars

Our Sunday Visitor

Webinars for Everyone

Catholic Faith Foundations: Back to the Basics

March 21, 2018 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Eastern

Presented by David Werning

Catholic Faith Foundations: Back to the Basics offers a concise, easy-to-follow review of the basic teachings of the Catholic Church. It guides readers through the fundamentals of the Catholic Faith, inviting readers to enrich their understanding of the Church's doctrinal and spiritual riches. Whether you're new to the Church or a lifelong Catholic, Catholic Faith Foundations not only equips you with knowledge of the Church's teachings, it invites you to fall in love with the Faith all over again.

[Click here to register](#) or to receive a replay link after the event.

Grit & Glory: Cross Training Your Body and Soul

April 5, 2018 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Eastern

Presented by Kaiser Johnson

Join Kaiser Johnson, the author of Our Sunday's Visitor's new book, Grit & Glory: Cross Training Your Body and Soul, for a 30-minute webcast about his new book. In

this webcast, he'll share the central principles for a healthy physical life, as well as the principles for a healthy spiritual life...which coincidentally are the same! With the knowledge and power you gain from Grit & Glory, the daily actionable steps will become natural so that you continue to grow in fitness and virtue for the rest of your life.

[Click here to register](#) or to receive a replay link after the event.

The Ever-Present God Family Breakdown: How Being Foolish with God Leads to Death and a Broken Heart

April 11, 2018 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Eastern

Presented by Fr. Mitch Pacwa, S.J.

Fr. Pacwa will draw from the story of Jephthah in the scriptures, unveiling how family breakdowns happen when we don't seek to understand God's will with wisdom.

[Click here to register](#) or to receive a replay link after the event.

Media Matters

April 12, 2018 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Eastern

Presented by Teresa Tomeo

Join us as Teresa Tomeo, internationally acclaimed TV and radio personality, and "Eye on Culture" columnist for OSV Newsweekly, presents a free 60-minute webcast.

[Click here to register](#) or to receive a replay link after the event.

The Fisherman's Tomb

April 12, 2018 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Eastern

Presented by John O'Neill

Think of a true The Da Vinci Code! The Fisherman's Tomb is the real-life, but largely secret story of the successful 75-year search for the tomb and remains of the Apostle Peter below the Vatican. Although Pope Francis recently placed the approval of the Catholic Church behind the discovery, most of the story has never been told. The Fisherman's Tomb is first and foremost an exciting mystery. And it is true! Join us as author John O'Neill talks about this new book.

[Click here to register](#) or to receive a replay link after the event.

How to report an incident of concern

The Diocese of Austin is committed to preventing harm from happening to any of our children or vulnerable adults. Go to www.austindiocese.org/reporting (or call the EIM Office at 512-949-2447) to learn what to do, and how to report, if you suspect sexual or physical abuse and/or neglect of a child or vulnerable adult; and what to do if the suspected abuse is by clergy, or an employee or volunteer of any diocesan parish, school or agency.

Pastoral support for victims of sexual abuse

The Diocese of Austin is committed to providing confidential and compassionate care to victims of sexual abuse, particularly if the abuse was committed by clergy or a church representative. If you have experienced abuse by someone representing the Catholic Church, please contact the diocesan coordinator of victim assistance and pastoral support at (512) 949-2400.